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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:345938

TITLE: Combination therapy including cyclooxygenase 2 (COX2) inhibitor(s) for the treatment of Parkinson's disease Stephenson, Diane T.; Isakson, Peter C.; Maziasz,

INVENTOR(S): Timothy J.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Pharmacia Corporation, USA SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 266 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

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AB The invention discloses a method for treating, preventing, or inhibiting Parkinson's disease (PD) in a subject in need of such treatment, inhibition, or prevention. The method comprises treating the subject with one or more COXZ selective inhibitor(s) or isomer(s) or pharmaceutically acceptable salt(s), ester(s), or prodrug(s) thereof, in combination with one or more second drugs, wherein the amount of the COXZ selective inhibitor(s) or isomer(s) or pharmaceutically acceptable salt(s), ester(s), or prodrug(s) thereof in combination with the amount of second drug(s) constitutes a PD treatment-, inhibition- or prevention-effective amount

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:949255 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 140:210533

TITLE: Additive neuroprotective effects of creatine and a cyclooxygenase 2 inhibitor against dopamine depletion in the 1-methyl-4-phenyl-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine

(MPTP) mouse model of Parkinson's disease
AUTHOR(S): Klivenyi, Peter; Gardian, Gabrielle; Calingasan, Noel

Y.; Yang, Lichuan; Beal, M. Flint

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Neurology and Neuroscience, New

York-Presbyterian Hospital, Weill Medical College of Cornell University, New York, NY, 10021, USA

SOURCE: Journal of Molecular Neuroscience (2003), 21(3),

191-198 CODEN: JMNEES; ISSN: 0895-8696

PUBLISHER: Humana Press Inc.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

AB There is evidence that both inflammatory mechanisms and mitochondrial dysfunction contribute to Parkinson's disease (PD) pathogenesis. We investigated whether the cyclooxygenase 2 (COX-2) inhibitor rofecoxib either alone or in combination with creatine could exert neuroprotective effects in the 1-methyl-4-phenyl-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine model of PD in mice. Both rofecoxib and creatine administered alone protected against striatal dopamine depletions and loss of substantia nigra tyrosine hydroxylase immunoreactive neurons. Administration of rofecoxib with

creatine produced significant additive neuroprotective effects against dopamine depletions. These results suggest that a combination of a COX-2 inhibitor with creatine might be a useful neuroprotective strategy for PD. REFERENCE COUNT: 45 THERE ARE 45 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001-357642 [38]

DOC. NO. CPI: C2001-111042 [38]

TITLE: Alpha-sulfonylamino hydroxamic acid inhibitors of matrix metallo-proteinases, useful for treating peripheral or central nervous system disorders, e.g. Alzheimer's disease, multiple sclerosis, Huntington's disease and

AIDS

DERWENT CLASS: B03; B05

INVENTOR: SAHAGAN B G; VILLALOBOS A

PATENT ASSIGNEE: (PFIZ-C) PFIZER INC; (PFIZ-C) PFIZER PROD INC

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AB EP 1088550 A1 UPAB: 20060117

NOVELTY - Use of alpha-sulfonylamino hydroxamic acid derivatives (I) or their salts in the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a disease, condition or disorder of the peripheral or central nervous system, e.g. Alzheimer's disease, stroke/cerebral ischemia, head trauma, spinal cord injury, multiple sclerosis, Huntington's disease, Parkinson's disease, AIDS and orion diseases, is new.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The use of alpha-sulfonylamino hydroxamic acid derivatives of formula (I) or their salts of (I) in the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment in a mammal of a disease, condition or disorder of the peripheral or central nervous system, including but not limited to Alzheimer's disease, stroke/cerebral ischemia, head trauma, spinal cord injury, multiple sclerosis, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, Huntington's disease, Parkinson's disease, migraine, cerebral amyloid angiopathy, AIDS, age-related cognitive decline, mild cognitive impairment and prion diseases, is new.

A = H or (CH2)n-(C=0)-Z;

n = 1-6;

Z = OH, 1-6C alkoxy or NR1R2;

RIR2 = e.g. H, 1-6c alkyl, piperidyl, 1-6c alkylpiperidyl, 6-10C arylpiperidyl, 2-9c heteroarylpiperidyl, 6-10C aryl-(1-6c alkylpiperidyl), 2-9C heteroaryl-(1-6C alkylpiperidyl), 1-6C acylpiperidyl, 6-10C aryl, 6-10C aryl, 6-10C aryl-(1-6c alkyl), 2-9C heteroaryl-(1-6c alkyl), 6-10C aryl-(1-6c alkyl), 6-10C aryl-(1-6c alkyl), 3-6C cycloalkyl, 3-6C cycloalkyl-(1-6C alkyl), R5(2-6 C alkyl) or 1-5C alkyl-(1-6C alkyl), 6-10C aryl-(1-6C alkyl), 6-10C aryl-(1-6C alkyl), 8-6C cycloalkyl-(1-6C alkyl);

R3 = OH, 1-6C acyloxy, 1-6C alkoxy, piperazino, 1-6C acylamino, 1-6C alkylthio, 6-10C arylathio, 1-6C alkylsulfinyl, 6-10C arylathio, 1-6C alkylsulfinyl, 6-10C arylathio, 1-6C alkylsulfoxyl, 6-10C arylathioxyl, amino, 1-6C alkylamino, 1-6C alkylpiperazino, 1-6C alkylpiperazino, 6-10C aryl-(1-6C alkylpiperazino), 0-10C aryl-(1-6C alkylpiperazino), morpholino, thiomorpholino, piperidino, pyrrolidino, R4(1-6C alkyl) or 1-5C alkyl-(-CKR4)-(-16C alkyl)

R4 = piperidinyl, 1-6C alkylpiperidyl, 6-10C arylpiperidyl, 6-10C arvl-(1-6C alkylpiperidyl), 2-9C heteroarylpiperidyl, 2-9C

heteroarvl-(1-6C alkylpiperidyl) or CH(R5)COR6;

R7, R8 = H, 1-6C alkyl, 6-10C aryl-(1-6 C alkyl) or 2-9C heteroaryl-(1-6C alkyl);

R6 = R9R10N; and

R9, R10 = H, 1-6C alkyl, 6-10C aryl-(1-6C alkyl) or 2-9C heteroaryl-(1-6 C alkyl).

Full definitions are given in the Definitions Field.

An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is included for the use of a prodrug of formula (II) in the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a disease, condition or disorder in the peripheral or central nervous system, including Alzheimer's disease, stroke/cerebral ischemia, head trauma, spinal chord injury, multiple sclerosis, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, Huntington's disease, Parkinson's disease, migraine, cerebral amyloid anglopathy, AlDS (acquired immune deficiency syndrome), age-related cognitive decline, mild cognitive impairment and prion diseases.

X1, X2 = 1-6C alkyl or X1 + X2 together with the atom to which they are attached form a ring selected from 5-7C cycloalkyl, 4-tetrahydropyranyl or 4-piperidinyl,

Y = a substituent on a phenyl ring carbon which is capable of supporting an additional bond, preferably 1-2 substituents, especially 1 substituent, most especially 1 substituent at the 4-position on the phenyl ring, selected from H, F, Cl, CF3, 1-6C alkoxy, trifluoromethoxy, diffluoromethoxy or 1-6C alkvl;

U, V = carbonyl, methylene (optionally substituted by OH), SO2 or SO3; and

ACTIVITY - Nootropic; neuroprotective; cerebroprotective; vasotropic; antiparkinsonian; antimigraine; antiHIV; anticonvulsant; vasotropic.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - (I) and prodrugs of (I) are inhibitors of mammalian reprolysin and/or of matrix metallo-proteinases (including MMP-2 and MMP-9).

The compounds (I) were incubated in a suspension of human monocytes for 4 hours at 37 degreesC in a humidified carbon dioxide incubator. The plates were then removed and centrifuged and the supernatants removed and assayed for TNF-alpha (tumor necrosis factor-alpha) using an ELIZA assay. (I) were found to possess selective activity against MMP-2 and MMP-9 and to have IC50 values of less than 500 nM against either or both of MMP-2 and MMP-9.

USE - The sulfonamide derivatives (I) are useful for treating diseases, conditions or disorders in the peripheral or central nervous system, including Alzheimer's disease, stroke/cerebral ischemia, head trauma, spinal chord injury, multiple sclerosis, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, Buntington's disease, Parkinson's disease, migraine, cerebral amyloid angiopathy, AIDS (acquired immune deficiency syndrome),

age-related cognitive decline, mild cognitive impairment and prion diseases. (I) is also useful in the manufacture of a medicament combined with a non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug for the treatment of the diseases listed above. The sulfonamide prodrug (II) is useful in the preparation of a medicament for the treatment of the diseases listed above (all claimed). Further diseases, conditions and disorders are disclosed.

ANSWER 1059 OF 1059 WPIDS COPYRIGHT 2008 THE THOMSON CORP on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999-370728 [31] WPIDS DOC. NO. CPI: C1999-109373 [31]

TITLE: Treating psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration, pain, emesis and muscle spasm

DERWENT CLASS: B02

INVENTOR: CASTRO PINEIRO J L; HEFTI F F; HILL R G; MCKERNAN R;

PINEIRO J L C; TATTERSALL F D; WHITING P J

PATENT ASSIGNEE: (PINE-I) CASTRO PINEIRO J L; (HEFT-I) HEFTI F F; (HILL-I) HILL R G; (MCKE-I) MCKERNAN R; (MERI-C) MERCK & CO INC; (MERI-C) MERCK SHARP & DOHME LTD; (PINE-I) PINEIRO J L C;

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1999-370728 [31] WPIDS WO 1999025353 A1 UPAB: 20050829

NOVELTY - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine

derivative (I).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative of formula (I) or its salts or prodrugs.

Y = H or 1-6C alkyl;

W = 1-6C alkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl, 4-7C cycloalkenyl, aryl, 3-7C heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl or di-(1-6C) alkylamino (all optionally substituted) or

CY + CW = 5-9C cycloalkenyl, 6-10C bicycloalkenyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, pyridinyl or phenyl (all optionally benzo-fused and/or substituted);

R1 = 3-7C cycloalkyl, phenyl, furyl, thienyl or pyridinyl (all optionally substituted) and

R2 = cyano-(1-6C) alkyl, hydroxy-(1-6C) alkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl-(1-6C) alkyl, propargyl, 3-7C heterocycloalkylcarbonyl-(1-6C) alkyl, aryl-(1-6C) alkyl or heteroaryl-(1-6C) alkyl (all optionally substituted).

An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a pharmaceutical composition which comprises (I) in association with a further antipsychotic, neuroprotective, analgesic, antiemetic or muscle relaxant medicament.

ACTIVITY - Antipsychotic; neuroprotective; analgesic; antiemetic; muscle relaxant.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - GABAA modulator.

(I) exhibited Ki values for displacement of (3H)-flumazenil from the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunit of the human GABAA receptor of 100 nM or less.

USE - Used to treat and/or prevent psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity (claimed) e.g. in paraplegic patients.

(I) are used to treat neuronal damage deterioration resulting from cerebral ischemic episodes associated with vascular occlusion (e.g. during open heart surgery or cardiac arrest), stroke, hypoglycemia, cerebral palsy, perinatal asphyxia, epilepsy, Huntington's chorea, Alzheimer's disease, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, Parkinson's disease, olivo-ponto-cerebellar atrophy, anoxia (e.g. from drowning, spinal cord injury or head injury), subarachnoid hemorrhage, poisoning by exogenous and endogenous excitatory neurotoxins (including environmental neurotoxins), diseases and conditions in which pain dominates including soft tissue and peripheral damage such as acute trauma, osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, musculo-skeletal pain (particularly after trauma), spinal pain, dental pain, myofascial pain syndromes, headaches, episiotomy pain and burns, deep and visceral pain such as heart pain, muscle pain, eye pain, orofacial pain (including odontalgia), abdominal pain and gynecological pain (including dysmenorrhea and labor pain), pain associated with nerve and root damage such as that associated with peripheral nerve disorders (nerve entrapment and brachial plexus avulsions), amputation, peripheral neuropathies, tic douloureux, atypical facial pain, nerve root damage and arachnoiditis, pain associated with carcinoma, central nervous system pain including pain due to spinal cord or brain stem damage, lower back pain, sciatica, ankylosing spondylitis, gout, scar pain, acute, delayed or anticipatory emesis including emesis induced by chemotherapy, radiation, toxins, viral or bacterial infections, pregnancy, vestibular disorders (motion sickness, vertigo, dizziness, Meniere's disease), surgery, migraine, variations in intracranial pressure, particularly in emesis induced by antineoplastic (cytotoxic) agents including those routinely used in cancer chemotherapy and other pharmacological agents including rolipram.

ADVANTAGE - (I) have good affinity as ligands for the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits interacting more favorably with alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits than with alphal subunits.

Member (0003)

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NOVELTY - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative (I).

- DETAILED DESCRIPTION Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triacolophthalazine derivative of formula (I) or its salts or prodrugs. Y = H or 1-6c alkyl;
- W=1-6C alkyl, $3^{-7}C$ cycloalkyl, $4^{-7}C$ cycloalkenyl, aryl, $3^{-7}C$ heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl or di-(1-6C) alkylamino (all optionally substituted) or
- CY + CW = 5-9C cycloalkenyl, 6-10C bicycloalkenyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, pyridinyl or phenyl (all optionally benzo-fused and/or substituted);
- R1 = 3-7C cycloalkyl, phenyl, furyl, thienyl or pyridinyl (all optionally substituted) and
- R2 = cyano-(1-6C) alkyl, hydroxy-(1-6C) alkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl, (1-6C) alkyl, propargyl, 3-7C heterocycloalkylcarbonyl-(1-6C) alkyl, aryl-(1-6C) alkyl or heteroaryl-(1-6C) alkyl (all optionally substituted).
- An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a pharmaceutical composition which comprises (I) in association with a further antipsychotic, neuroprotective, analgesic, antiemetic or muscle relaxant medicament.
- ${\tt ACTIVITY Antipsychotic; \ neuroprotective; \ analgesic; \ antiemetic; \ muscle \ relaxant.}$
- MECHANISM OF ACTION GABAA modulator.

 (I) exhibited Ki values for displacement of (3H)-flumazenil from the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunit of the human GABAA receptor of 100 nM or
- less.

 USE Used to treat and/or prevent psychotic disorders,
 neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle
 spasm or spasticity (claimed) e.g. in paraplegic patients.
- (I) are used to treat neuronal damage deterioration resulting from cerebral ischemic episodes associated with vascular occlusion (e.g. during open heart surgery or cardiac arrest), stroke, hypoglycemia, cerebral palsy, perinatal asphyxia, epilepsy, Huntington's chorea, Alzheimer's disease, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, Parkinson's disease, olivo-ponto-cerebellar atrophy, anoxia (e.g. from drowning, spinal cord injury or head injury), subarachnoid hemorrhage, poisoning by exogenous and endogenous excitatory neurotoxins (including environmental neurotoxins), diseases and conditions in which pain dominates including soft tissue and peripheral damage such as acute trauma, osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, musculo-skeletal pain (particularly after trauma), spinal pain, dental pain, myofascial pain syndromes, headaches, episiotomy pain and burns, deep and visceral pain such as heart pain, muscle pain, eye pain, orofacial pain (including odontalgia), abdominal pain and gynecological pain (including dysmenorrhea and labor pain), pain associated with nerve and root damage such as that associated with peripheral nerve disorders (nerve entrapment and brachial plexus avulsions), amputation, peripheral neuropathies, tic douloureux, atypical facial pain, nerve root damage and arachnoiditis, pain associated with carcinoma, central nervous system pain including pain due to spinal cord or brain stem damage, lower back pain, sciatica, ankylosing spondylitis, gout, scar pain, acute, delayed or anticipatory emesis including emesis induced by chemotherapy, radiation, toxins, viral or bacterial infections, pregnancy, vestibular disorders (motion sickness, vertigo, dizziness, Meniere's disease), surgery, migraine, variations in intracranial

pressure, particularly in emesis induced by antineoplastic (cytotoxic) agents including those routinely used in cancer chemotherapy and other pharmacological agents including rolipram.

ADVANTAGE - (I) have good affinity as ligands for the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits interacting more favorably with alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits than with alpha1 subunits.

Member (0004)

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NOVELTY - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative (I).

- DETAILED DESCRIPTION Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative of formula (I) or its salts or prodrugs.
 - Y = H or 1-6C alkyl;
- $\mathbb{N}=1-6C$ alkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl, 4-7C cycloalkenyl, aryl, 3-7C heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl or di-(1-6C) alkylamino (all optionally substituted) or
- CY + CW = 5-9C cycloalkenyl, 6-10C bicycloalkenyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, pyridinyl or phenyl (all optionally benzo-fused and/or substituted):
- R1 = 3-7C cycloalkyl, phenyl, furyl, thienyl or pyridinyl (all optionally substituted) and
- R2 = cyano-(1-6C) alkyl, hydroxy-(1-6C) alkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl, 1-7C cycloalkyl-(1-6C) alkyl, propargyl, 3-7C heterocycloalkylcarbonyl-(1-6C) alkyl, aryl-(1-6C) alkyl or heteroaryl-(1-6C) alkyl (all optionally substituted).
- An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a pharmaceutical composition which comprises (I) in association with a further antipsychotic, neuroprotective, analgesic, antiemetic or muscle relaxant medicament.

 $\label{eq:activity} \mbox{$\mbox{$ACTIVITY$}$ - $Antipsychotic; neuroprotective; analgesic; antiemetic; $$ muscle relaxant. $$$

MECHANISM OF ACTION - GABAA modulator.

- (I) exhibited Ki values for displacement of (3H)-flumazenil from the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunit of the human GABAA receptor of 100 nM or less.
- USE Used to treat and/or prevent psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity (claimed) e.g. in paraplegic patients.
- (I) are used to treat neuronal damage deterioration resulting from cerebral ischemic episodes associated with vascular occlusion (e.g. during open heart surgery or cardiac arrest), stroke, hypoglycemia, cerebral palsy, perinatal asphyxia, epilepsy, Huntington's chorea, Alzheimer's disease, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, Parkinson's disease, olivo-ponto-cerebellar atrophy, anoxia (e.g. from drowning, spinal cord injury or head injury), subarachnoid hemorrhage, poisoning by exogenous and endogenous excitatory neurotoxins (including environmental neurotoxins), diseases and conditions in which pain dominates including soft tissue and peripheral damage such as acute trauma, osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, musculo-skeletal pain (particularly after trauma), spinal pain, dental pain, myofascial pain syndromes, headaches, episiotomy pain and burns, deep and visceral pain such as heart pain, muscle pain, eye pain, orofacial pain (including odontalgia), abdominal pain and gynecological pain (including dysmenorrhea and labor pain), pain associated with nerve and root damage such as that associated with peripheral nerve disorders (nerve entrapment and brachial plexus avulsions), amputation, peripheral neuropathies, tic douloureux, atypical facial pain, nerve root damage and arachnoiditis, pain associated with

carcinoma, central nervous system pain including pain due to spinal cord or brain stem damage, lower back pain, sciatica, ankylosing spondylitis, gout, scar pain, acute, delayed or anticipatory emesis including emesis induced by chemotherapy, radiation, toxins, viral or bacterial infections, pregnancy, vestibular disorders (motion sickness, vertigo, dizziness, Meniere's disease), surgery, migraine, variations in intracranial pressure, particularly in emesis induced by antineoplastic (cytotoxic) agents including those routinely used in cancer chemotherapy and other pharmacological agents including rolipram.

ADVANTAGE - (I) have good affinity as ligands for the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits interacting more favorably with alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits than with alpha1 subunits.

Member (0005)

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NOVELTY - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders,

neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative (I).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative of formula (I) or its salts or prodrugs.

Y = H or 1-6C alkvl;

W=1-6C alkyl, $3^{-7}C$ cycloalkyl, 4-7C cycloalkenyl, aryl, 3-7C heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl or di-(1-6C) alkylamino (all optionally substituted) or

CY + CW = 5-9C cycloalkenyl, 6-10C bicycloalkenyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, pyridinyl or phenyl (all optionally benzo-fused and/or substituted);

R1 = 3-7C cycloalkyl, phenyl, furyl, thienyl or pyridinyl (all optionally substituted) and

R2 = cyano-(1-6C) alkyl, hydroxy-(1-6C) alkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl, (1-6C) alkyl, bropargyl, 3-7C heterocycloalkyl carbonyl-(1-6C) alkyl, aryl-(1-6C) alkyl or heteroaryl-(1-6C) alkyl (all optionally substituted).

An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a pharmaceutical composition which comprises (I) in association with a further antipsychotic, neuroprotective, analgesic, antiemetic or muscle relaxant medicament.

ACTIVITY - Antipsychotic; neuroprotective; analgesic; antiemetic; muscle relaxant.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - GABAA modulator.

(I) exhibited Ki values for displacement of (3H)-flumazenil from the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunit of the human GABAA receptor of 100 nM or less.

USE - Used to treat and/or prevent psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity (claimed) e.g. in paraplegic patients.

(I) are used to treat neuronal damage deterioration resulting from cerebral ischemic episodes associated with vascular occlusion (e.g. during open heart surgery or cardiac arrest), stroke, hypoglycemia, cerebral palsy, perinatal asphyxia, epilepsy, Huntington's chorea, Alzheimer's disease, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, Parkinson's disease, pinal cord injury or head injury), subarachnoid hemorrhage, poisoning by exogenous and endogenous excitatory neurotoxins (including environmental neurotoxins), diseases and conditions in which pain dominates including soft tissue and peripheral damage such as acute trauma, osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, musculo-skeletal pain (particularly after trauma), spinal pain, dental pain, myofascial pain syndromes, headaches, episiotomy pain and burns, deep and visceral pain such as heart pain, muscle pain,

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ADVANTAGE - (I) have good affinity as ligands for the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits interacting more favorably with alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits than with alpha1 subunits.

Member (0006)

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NOVELTY - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle

neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative (I).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders, neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative of formula (I) or its salts or prodrugs.

Y = H or 1-6C alkyl;

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CY + CW = 5-9C cycloalkenyl, 6-10C bicycloalkenyl,

tetrahydropyridinyl, pyridinyl or phenyl (all optionally benzo-fused and/or substituted);

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R2 = cyano-(1-6C) alkyl, hydroxy-(1-6C) alkyl, 3-7C cycloalkyl-(1-6C) alkyl, propargyl, 3-7C heterocycloalkylcarbonyl-(1-6C)

alkyl, aryl-(1-60) alkyl, propartyl, 3-16 meterocycloarkylcarbonyl-(1-60) alkyl (all optionally substituted).

An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a pharmaceutical composition which comprises (I) in association with a further antipsychotic, neuroprotective, analgesic, antiemetic or muscle relaxant medicament.

ACTIVITY - Antipsychotic; neuroprotective; analgesic; antiemetic; muscle relaxant.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - GABAA modulator.

(I) exhibited Ki values for displacement of (3H)-flumazenil from the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunit of the human GABAA receptor of 100 nM or less.

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ADVANTAGE - (I) have good affinity as ligands for the alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits interacting more favorably with alpha2 and/or alpha3 subunits than with alpha1 subunits.

Member (0007)

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NOVELTY - Treating and/or preventing psychotic disorders,

neurodegeneration arising from cerebral ischemia, pain, emesis and muscle spasm or spasticity comprises administering a triazolophthalazine derivative (I).

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ACTIVITY - Antipsychotic; neuroprotective; analgesic; antiemetic; muscle relaxant.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - GABAA modulator.

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